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that it is applicable only in connection with the base rates which refer to it (substantially as shown in the above form). Each page naming the base rates shall make specific reference to such conversion table for rates applicable to the greater minimum weights provided by the conversion table. Such reference shall be made substantially in the following manner:

For rates subject to minimum weights of \_\_\_\_ pounds and over, apply Table of volume Rates on page \_\_\_\_.

## § 221.72 Types of property rates (class, general commodity, or specific commodity) which may be published.

- (a) *Types permitted.* Except as otherwise authorized in this part, only the following types of rates shall be published to apply on the air transportation of property:
  - (1) Class rates (see §221.73).
- (2) General commodity rates (see §221.74).
- (3) Specific commodity rates (see § 221.75).
- (b) Order of publication in same tariff. If both general commodity rates and specific commodity rates are published in the same tariff, the general commodity rates shall be published in tables or sections preceding the specific commodity rates. If both class rates and specific commodity rates are published in the same tariff, the class rates shall be published in tables or sections preceding the specific commodity rates.

## § 221.73 Class rates.

- (a) Captions. Class rates shall be published under the caption "Class Rates" to be shown on each page containing such rates.
- (b) Governing classification and exceptions thereto. A tariff of class rates shall contain a classification which shall assign a class rating to each specific article or commodity as required by §221.39(a) or shall be governed by a separate tariff containing such class rates (see §221.105). Also, the class rates may be made subject to exceptions to the ratings in the governing tariff as provided in §221.39(c).
- (c) Rates may be published on specified classes; percentage relationship. (1) Class rates may be published for specified classes which shall correspond identi-

cally to the classes assigned to the various articles or commodities by the classification or exceptions thereto and on which such rates are applicable.

(2) The classes shall be specified, for example:

Method 1. The classes shall be consecutively numbered as "Class 1," "Class 2," "Class 3," "Class 4," etc., ranging from the class taking the highest rates to the class taking the lowest rates, respectively. All rates published for each class lower or higher than Class 1 shall bear the same percentage relationship to the respective Class 1 rates, for example, each Class 2 rate may equal 85 percent of the respective Class 1 rate, each Class 3 rate may equal 70 percent of the respective Class 7 rate. If it is found necessary to publish rates for classes higher than Class 1, such rates shall be assigned a class number which represents their percentage relationship to the respective Class 1 rates, for example, rates for "Class 125" shall equal 125 percent of the respective Class 1 rates.

Method 2. The rates in each class shall be assigned a class number which represents their percentage relationship of the respective "Class 100" rates. For example, rates for "Class 85" shall equal 85 percent of the respective "Class 100" rates, rates for "Class 70" shall equal 70 percent of the respective "Class 100" rates.

(d) Arrangement. The rates for each class shall be published in a single column and each column shall be captioned with its respective class. The columns shall be arranged on each page in the order of the classes ranging from the class taking the highest rates (to be published in the first rate column) to the class taking the lowest rates (to be published in the last rate column).

## §221.74 General commodity rates and exception ratings thereto.

(a) General commodity rates. General commodity rates shall be published under the caption "General Commodity Rates." Such caption shall be shown on each page containing such rates. Each tariff which contains general commodity rates shall contain a rule captioned "Application of General Commodity Rates" which shall provide that the general commodity rates apply on all commodities except those which will not be accepted for transportation under the terms of the tariff or of governing tariffs. Each rule shall be published in the tariff containing the general commodity rates and not in a governing tariff. If it is desired to